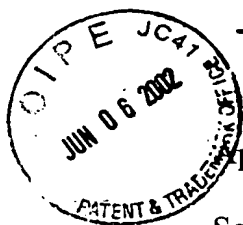


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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed 02 May 2002,  
Applicants respectfully elect the claims in Group I (Claims 1-28) directed to  
the species of Figure 7. Claims 1-6 and 8-27 are readable on the elected  
species.

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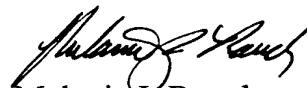
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This election is made without traverse. Applicants specifically reserve the right to seek patent protection for non-elected subject matter by divisional application. If the Examiner feels that any issues remain regarding this Restriction Requirement, then Applicants' undersigned attorney would like to discuss the case with the Examiner. The undersigned can be reached at (847) 490-1400.

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